

AGENDA



BERKELEY CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Tuesday, June 29, 2021

6:00 PM

JESSE ARREGUIN, MAYOR

Councilmembers:

DISTRICT 1 – RASHI KESARWANI
DISTRICT 2 – TERRY TAPLIN
DISTRICT 3 – BEN BARTLETT
DISTRICT 4 – KATE HARRISON

DISTRICT 5 – SOPHIE HAHN
DISTRICT 6 – SUSAN WENGRAF
DISTRICT 7 – RIGEL ROBINSON
DISTRICT 8 – LORI DROSTE

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Preliminary Matters

Roll Call:

Ceremonial Matters: *In addition to those items listed on the agenda, the Mayor may add additional ceremonial matters.*

City Manager Comments: *The City Manager may make announcements or provide information to the City Council in the form of an oral report. The Council will not take action on such items but may request the City Manager place a report on a future agenda for discussion.*

Public Comment on Non-Agenda Matters: *Persons will be selected to address matters not on the Council agenda. If five or fewer persons wish to speak, each person selected will be allotted two minutes each. If more than five persons wish to speak, up to ten persons will be selected to address matters not on the Council agenda and each person selected will be allotted one minute each. The remainder of the speakers wishing to address the Council on non-agenda items will be heard at the end of the agenda.*

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The Council will first determine whether to move items on the agenda for "Action" or "Information" to the "Consent Calendar", or move "Consent Calendar" items to "Action." Three members of the City Council must agree to pull an item from the Consent Calendar for it to move to Action. Items that remain on the "Consent Calendar" are voted on in one motion as a group. "Information" items are not discussed or acted upon at the Council meeting unless they are moved to "Action" or "Consent".

No additional items can be moved onto the Consent Calendar once public comment has commenced. At any time during, or immediately after, public comment on Information and Consent items, any Councilmember may move any Information or Consent item to "Action." Following this, the Council will vote on the items remaining on the Consent Calendar in one motion.

For items moved to the Action Calendar from the Consent Calendar or Information Calendar, persons who spoke on the item during the Consent Calendar public comment period may speak again at the time the matter is taken up during the Action Calendar.

Public Comment on Consent Calendar and Information Items Only: *The Council will take public comment on any items that are either on the amended Consent Calendar or the Information Calendar. Speakers will be entitled to two minutes each to speak in opposition to or support of Consent Calendar and Information Items. A speaker may only speak once during the period for public comment on Consent Calendar and Information items.*

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Consent Calendar

- 1. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Debt Service on Neighborhood Branch Library Improvements Project General Obligation Bonds (Measure FF, November 2008 Election)**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,765-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding the debt service on the Neighborhood Branch Library Improvements Project General Obligation Bonds (Measure FF, November 2008 Election) at 0.0059%.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 2. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Debt Service on 2015 Refunding General Obligation Bonds (Measures G, S & I)**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,766-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate funding the debt service on the 2015 consolidation of Measures G, S and I (General Obligation Bonds - Elections of 1992, 1996 and 2002) at 0.0135%.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 3. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Debt Service on the Affordable Housing General Obligation Bonds (Measure O, November 2018 Election)**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,767-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate funding the debt service on the Affordable Housing General Obligation Bonds (Measure O, November 2018) at 0.0088%.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 4. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Business License Tax on Large Non-Profits**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,768-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for Business License Tax on large non-profits at \$0.7041 (70.41 cents) per square foot of improvements.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Consent Calendar

5. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Firefighting, Emergency Medical Response and Wildfire Prevention (Measure FF)

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,769-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding Firefighting, Emergency Medical Response and Wildfire Prevention (Measure FF) in the City of Berkeley at an annual rate of \$0.1047 (10.47 cents) per square foot of improvements and \$0.15705 (15.705 cents) for the 18-month period from January 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022.

First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300, Abe Roman, Fire, (510) 981-3473

6. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Maintenance of Parks, City Trees and Landscaping

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,770-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding all improvements for the maintenance of parks, City trees, and landscaping in the City of Berkeley at \$0.1896 (18.96 cents) per square foot of improvements.

First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

7. FY 2022 Special Tax Rate: Fund the Provision of Library Services

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,771-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding the provision of Library Services in the City of Berkeley at \$0.2402 (24.02 cents) per square foot for dwelling units and \$0.3632 (36.32 cents) per square foot for industrial, commercial, and institutional buildings.

First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300, Tess Mayer, Director of Library Services, (510) 981-6195

Consent Calendar

- 8. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Emergency Services for the Severely Disabled (Measure E)**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,772-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding the provision of emergency services for the disabled at \$0.02378 (2.378 cents) per square foot of improvements.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 9. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Debt Service on the Infrastructure and Facilities General Obligation Bonds (Measure T1, November 2016 Election)**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,773-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate funding the debt service on the Infrastructure and Facilities Improvements General Obligation Bonds (Measure T1, November 2016) at 0.0170%.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 10. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Debt Service on the Street and Watershed Improvements General Obligation Bonds (Measure M, November 2012 Election)**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,774-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate funding the debt service on the Street and Integrated Watershed Improvements General Obligation Bonds (Measure M, November 2012) at 0.0077%.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 11. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund Fire Protection and Emergency Response and Preparedness (Measure GG)**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,775-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding Fire Protection and Emergency Response and Preparedness in the City of Berkeley at the rate of \$0.05818 (5.818 cents) per square foot of improvements for dwelling units and setting the rate for all other property at \$0.08804 (8.804 cents) per square foot of improvements.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300, Abe Roman, Interim Fire Chief, (510) 981-5500

Consent Calendar

- 12. FY 2022 Tax Rate: Fund the Provision of Emergency Medical Services (Paramedic Tax)**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,776-N.S. setting the FY 2022 tax rate for funding the provision of emergency medical services to Berkeley residents at \$0.0412 (4.12 cents) per square foot of improvements.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 13. Referral Response: Path to Permanence: Outdoor Dining and Commerce in the Public Right-of-Way**
From: City Manager
Recommendation:
1. Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,777-N.S. revising BMC Section 14.48.190 Parklets and BMC Section 16.18 Right of Way Encroachments and Encroachment Permits to simplify the permitting process for the conversion of temporary parklets and outdoor commerce installations after a declared local emergency.
2. Adopt second reading of Ordinance No. 7,778-N.S. revising BMC Section 14.48.150 Sidewalk Seating to expand the areas and scope of activities that may be permitted via a sidewalk seating permit (a type of engineering permit) after a declared local health emergency, implement a new fee for the use of parking spaces for commercial activity.
First Reading Vote: Ayes – Kesarwani, Taplin, Bartlett, Hahn, Robinson, Droste, Arreguin; Noes – None; Abstain – Harrison, Wengraf.
Financial Implications: See Report
Contact: Eleanor Hollander, Economic Development, (510) 981-7530
- 14. Minutes for Approval**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Approve the minutes for the council meetings of May 11, 2021 (regular), May 13, 2021 (closed), May 18, 2021 (closed and special), May 20, 2021 (closed) and May 25, 2021 (closed and regular).
Financial Implications: None
Contact: Mark Numainville, City Clerk, (510) 981-6900

Consent Calendar

- 15. Contract No. 099148-1 Amendment: Code Publishing Company for Berkeley Municipal Code Publishing Services**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager to amend Contract No. 099148-1 (FUND\$ Contract No. 9541A) with Code Publishing Company for online and printed code publishing services for the Berkeley Municipal Code, increasing the contract by \$40,000 for a total not to exceed amount of \$139,000, and extending the contract to December 21, 2024.
Financial Implications: General Fund - \$40,000
Contact: Mark Numainville, City Clerk, (510) 981-6900
- 16. Appointment of Interim Director of Police Accountability**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution confirming the appointment of Katherine J. Lee to be Interim Director of Police Accountability and approving an employment contract to be effective July 1, 2021 at an annual salary of \$182,260.65.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Dave White, City Manager's Office, (510) 981-7000
- 17. Formal Bid Solicitations and Request for Proposals Scheduled for Possible Issuance After Council Approval on June 29, 2021**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Approve the request for proposals or invitation for bids (attached to staff report) that will be, or are planned to be, issued upon final approval by the requesting department or division. All contracts over the City Manager's threshold will be returned to Council for final approval.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 18. Appropriations Limit for FY 2022**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution establishing the appropriations limit at \$311,493,168 for FY 2022 pursuant to Article XIII B of the Constitution of the State of California based on the calculations for the appropriations limit.
Financial Implications: See report
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300
- 19. FY 2022 Revision to the Investment Policy and Designation of Investment Authority**
From: City Manager
Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution accepting the changes to the Investment Policy and to confirm the delegation of investment authority to the Director of Finance to make investments for FY 2022.
Financial Implications: None
Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Consent Calendar

20. Request for Proposal for Project Homekey

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution authorizing City Manager to: 1. Release a Request for Proposals (RFP) for a Homekey Project; and 2. Allocate HOME-ARP funding and General Fund collected pursuant to Measure P Measure P, and/or other funding source, to support a future Homekey project.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Lisa Warhuus, Health, Housing, and Community Services, (510) 981-5400

21. Fiscal Year 2022 Community Development Block Grant Public Facility Improvement Program Funds for the West Berkeley Service Center

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager or her designee to: 1. Allocate all available Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 Community Development Block Grant funding (estimated at \$1,145,251) for one public facility improvement project at the City's West Berkeley Service Center; and 2. Allocate any additional FY 2021 CDBG program income to the West Berkeley Service Center renovation project, if needed, and in accordance with Resolution 69,830 –N.S.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Lisa Warhuus, Health, Housing, and Community Services, (510) 981-5400

22. Contract No. 31900254 Amendment: Easy Does It to Provide Emergency Disability Services and Audit Recommendation Update for Fiscal Year 2022-2023

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution approving an amendment to Contract No. 31900254 to continue funding for Easy Does It (EDI) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 and FY 2023 in the amount of \$1,432,011 using Measure E funds to provide emergency disability services, as long as EDI continues to demonstrate progress towards resolving the audit findings.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Lisa Warhuus, Health, Housing, and Community Services, (510) 981-5400

23. Fiscal Year 2022 and Fiscal Year 2023 Housing Retention Program Contract

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution authorizing the City Manager or her designee to: 1. Allocate the Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 and FY 2023 City of Berkeley Housing Retention Program (HRP) contract to the Eviction Defense Center (EDC), which operates the COVID-19 HRP; and 2. Amend Contract No. 32100023 with EDC to use General Fund U1 HRP funds for utility arrears or other expenses that would enable applicants to retain or obtain housing and/or employment.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Lisa Warhuus, Health, Housing, and Community Services, (510) 981-5400

Consent Calendar

24. Adopt a Resolution to Upgrade Residential and Commercial Customers to East Bay Community Energy (EBCE) Renewable 100 Plan

From: Energy Commission

Recommendation: Adopt a time-sensitive Resolution to upgrade all current and new Berkeley residential and commercial customer accounts from Bright Choice - 86% Green House Gas (GHG)-free including substantial hydroelectric and nuclear - to Renewable 100 (100% renewable energy from California solar and wind) for their default electricity service plan, excluding residential customers in low-income assistance programs. The Berkeley Energy Commission (Commission) recommends that the City Council adopt the resolution now to meet East Bay Community Energy's (EBCE) schedule of requiring an extensive lead time needed for the transition to be effective April 1, 2022 for residential customers and October 1, 2022 for commercial customers.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Billi Romain, Commission Secretary, (510) 981-7400

25. Berkeley's Fleet Replacement: Fund Short by Millions

From: Auditor

Recommendation: We recommend City Council request that the City Manager report back by the first City Council meeting in January 2022, and every six months thereafter, regarding the status of our audit recommendations until reported fully implemented by the Public Works Department.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Jenny Wong, Auditor, (510) 981-6750

Council Consent Items

26. Resolution Supporting Freedom for Nasrin Sotoudeh

From: Councilmember Taplin (Author)

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution in Support of Freedom for Nasrin Sotoudeh and All Other Political Prisoners and Prisoners of Conscience in the Islamic Republic of Iran.

Financial Implications: None

Contact: Terry Taplin, Councilmember, District 2, (510) 981-7120

Council Consent Items

27. Resolution Urging the Metropolitan Transportation Commission to Program and Prioritize American Rescue Plan Act Funds

From: Councilmember Harrison (Author)

Recommendation:

1. Adopt a resolution directing the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) to program \$1.67 billion in American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds immediately and prioritize them for immediate use to support Bay Area Transit riders and an equitable pandemic recovery.
2. Send a copy of the Resolution and an accompanying letter to the MTC Commissioners.

Financial Implications: None

Contact: Kate Harrison, Councilmember, District 4, (510) 981-7140

Action Calendar

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Action items may be reordered at the discretion of the Chair with the consent of Council.

Action Calendar – Old Business

28. Police Accountability Board – Appointment of Members (Continued from June 1, 2021)

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution appointing nine members to the Police Accountability Board nominated by the Mayor and City Councilmembers, and appointing one alternate member. (Note: Appointment of the alternate member is continued from the June 1, 2021 meeting.)

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Mark Numainville, City Clerk, (510) 981-6900

Action Calendar – New Business

29. FY 2022 Budget Adoption

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution:

1. Adopting the FY 2022 Budget as contained in the City Manager’s FY 2022 Proposed Budget that includes the Proposed Capital Budget, presented to Council on May 25, 2021, and as amended by subsequent Council action.
2. Authorizing the City Manager to provide applicable advances to selected community agencies receiving City funds in FY 2022, as reflected in Attachment 2 to the report, and as amended by subsequent Council action.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Rama Murty, Budget Office, (510) 981-7000

30. FY 2022 Annual Appropriations Ordinance

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt first reading of an Ordinance adopting the FY 2022 Annual Appropriations Ordinance (AAO) in the amount of \$668,825,973 (gross appropriations) and \$581,303,702 (net appropriations).

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Rama Murty, Budget Office, (510) 981-7000

31. Borrowing of Funds and the Sale and Issuance of FY 2021-22 Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes

From: City Manager

Recommendation: Adopt a Resolution approving the borrowing of \$45,000,000 and the sale and issuance of Fiscal Year 2021-22 Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes.

Financial Implications: See report

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Information Reports

32. Voluntary Time Off Program for FY 2022

From: City Manager

Contact: Rama Murty, Budget Office, (510) 981-7000

33. FY 2022 Civic Arts Grant Awards

From: Civic Arts Commission

Contact: Eleanor Hollander, Economic Development, (510) 981-7530

34. FY 2021 Second Quarter Investment Report: Ended December 31, 2020

From: City Manager

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

35. FY 2021 Third Quarter Investment Report: Ended March 31, 2021

From: City Manager

Contact: Henry Oyekanmi, Finance, (510) 981-7300

Information Reports

36. 2021 Commission on Aging Work Plan

From: Commission on Aging

Contact: Richard Castrillon, Commission Secretary, (510) 981-5190

Public Comment – Items Not Listed on the Agenda

Adjournment

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- 2) *In any lawsuit that may be filed against a City Council decision to approve or deny a use permit or variance, the issues and evidence will be limited to those raised by you or someone else, orally or in writing, at a public hearing or prior to the close of the last public hearing on the project.*

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Mark Numainville, City Clerk

## Communications

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### **Item #26: Resolution Supporting Freedom for Nasrin Sotoudeh**

1. Nazila Tobaei
2. Riya Master
3. Kianna Imani
4. Anonymous

### **Berkeley Marina (BMASP) and Pier/Ferry Project from Marina Users**

5. Camille Antinori and David Fielder, on behalf of the marina users

### **Tenants Opportunity to Purchase Act (TOPA)**

6. Andrew Godar
7. Carol Wyatt
8. Sam Weng
9. Julie Saxe-Taller
10. Timothy Kim
11. Peter Schiller
12. Hayley Currier
13. Bethany Kaylor
14. Mary Telling
15. Cheryl Davila (2)
16. Alex Werth
17. Ann Harvey

### **Climate Equity Action**

18. Cate Leger, Berkeley Energy Commission
19. Ariella Granett
20. Lily Cohen
21. Janet Stromberg
22. Natalie Nussbaum
23. Mary Ann Furdary
24. Margot Smith
25. Christie Keith
26. Susan Kirsch
27. Andrea Mullarkey

### **Electrification**

28. Janet Stromberg

### **Berkeley Housing Authority (BHA) Negative Experiences**

29. BHA staff

**Grizzly Peak Problems**

30. Joshua Bloom (2)

**BART Housing**

31. The-Anh Cao

32. Reynaldo Santa Cruz

**Zoning Reform on Property Values**

33. Margot Smith

**Housing**

34. Madeleine Shearer (2)

**Affordable Housing Overlay Support**

35. Planning Students Association of Cal

**People's Park**

36. Russbumper

**Outdoor Shelter and Enforce No Sidewalk Camping**

37. Claudia Eyzaguirre

**Evictions**

38. Cadance Malone

**Measure FF: Update from the Fire Department**

39. David Peattie, on behalf of the Berkeley Disaster Prep Neighborhood Network

**Library Issues**

40. Barbara Gilbert

**Parking Meters**

41. Barbara Gilbert

**Berkeley's New Police Chief**

42. Friends of Adeline

**Employment Development Department**

43. Rodak Goa

**Skateboard Park**

44. Alex Gomez-Pendleton

**Daniel Hale Whistleblower**

45. Russbumper

**Speech to VTA**

46. Blair Beekman

**Live Music Is Back in Downtown Berkeley Plaza**

47. Downtown Berkeley Association

**Traffic Control Measures at Cragmont Elementary School**

48. Edward and Noelle Long

**CalPERS Response Letter to Resolution No. 69,829-N.S. of 4/27/2021**

49. California Public Employees' Retirement System

**URL's Only**

50. Vivian Warkentin (2)

51. Russbumper (4)

**Supplemental Communications and Reports**

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- **Supplemental Communications and Reports 1**  
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